Expenditure on employment exchanges

†970. PROF. ALKA BALRAM KSHATRIYA: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of employment exchanges in the country, State-wise;

(b) the detail of expenditure incurred on these offices during last three years, State-wise; and

(c) the details of number of persons who have got employment through these employment exchanges, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI K. CHANDRASEKHAR RAO): (a) and (c) State-wise details of the number of employment exchanges in the country at present and the placements effected by them during 2004 is given in the Statement (*See* below).

(b) Employment exchanges function under the administrative and financial control of the respective State/UT Governments. As per the information available, the expenditure incurred on an average per employment exchange during 2001-02, was around Rs.1.43 lakh.

Statement

Number of Employment Exchanges and the placements made during 2004

Sl. No.	STATE/UT	Employment Exchanges/ Ueigbs (in Actual Number)	Placements made during 2004 (in Thousands)
1	2	3	4
1	Andhra Pradesh	31	2.4
2	Arunachal Pradesh	10	@
3	Assam	52	0.2
4	Bihar	37	0.1
5	Chhattisgarh	18	0.9
6	Delhi	14	0.3
7	Goa	1	0.2
8	Gujarat	42	64.9
9	Haryana	61	3.4
10	Himachal Pradesh	15	1.0
11	Jammu and Kashmir	14	-
12	Jharkhand	33	0.7

†Original notice of question was received in Hindi.

1	2	3	4
13	Karnataka	40	1.6
14	Kerala	86	7.5
15	Madhya Pradesh	58	1.6
16	Maharashtra	46	12.8
17	Manipur	11	-
18	Meghalaya	11	@
19	Mizoram	3	@
20	Nagaland	7	@
21	Orissa	40	1.3
22	Punjab	46	2.7
23	Rajasthan	42	3.4
24	Sikkim*		
25	Tamil Nadu	34	13.2
26	Tripura	5	0.3
27	Uttaranchal	23	1.5
28	Uttar Pradesh	84	1.7
29	West Bengal	75	10.1
	(B) UNION TERRITORIES		
30	A & N Islands	1	0.1
31	Chandigarh	2	0.3
32	D & N Haveli	1	@
33	Daman and Diu	2	@
34	Lakshadweep	1	@
35	Pondicherry	1	0.3
	TOTAL	**947**	**132.6**

Note: 1. *No employment Exchange is functioning in this State.
2. Figures may not add up to total due to rounding off.
3. -Nil.
4. @Figures less than fifty.

Social security for workers

971. SHRIMATI HEMA MALINI: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that there is need for social security for workers in unorganized sector;

(b) if so, what steps are being considered to ensure them minimum social security;